

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Mrs. Bussier, 79 Years of Age, Perishes in Flames in Chesterfield.

WENT BACK TO SAVE PAPERS

Her Residence and Dwelling of W. C. Moore Destroyed—Loss Amounts to \$3,500.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 212 1/2 Hill Street.

In an attempt to save valuable papers from the burning residence of her son-in-law yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, Mrs. Virginia Bussier, seventy-nine years of age, perished in the flames. It seems that the residence of Mr. W. C. Moore, of Chesterfield county, about seven miles from Middletown, took fire. Mr. Moore first rescued his mother from the burning house, and then turned his attention to the children. Mrs. Bussier protested when Mr. Moore persisted in bringing her from the building. She wished to remain and save some valuable papers and bonds.

Later Mr. Moore discovered her remains in the debris after the flames had been extinguished. She was burned almost beyond recognition. Her body was brought to Manchester yesterday afternoon and prepared for burial by B. H. Morrisette & Sons. The remains will be shipped to Germantown, Pa., to-morrow, where the funeral will be held.

Mr. Moore Loses All.

Mr. Moore stated yesterday that he lost everything he possessed in the fire. The blaze, he thought, had started in the kitchen, but the exact cause is unknown. The main dwelling and all of the outbuildings were burned, entailing a loss of about \$3,500, only partially covered by insurance.

With the assistance of neighbors a fireman of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, who was working nearby, some of the furniture located on the first floor was saved. Mr. Moore actually had to come to town yesterday afternoon in a borrowed suit of clothes. He has the sympathy of the entire community in his heavy loss.

Marshall—Neblett.

Mr. J. Alexander Marshall and Miss Mamie Louise Neblett were married last night in the parlors of the residence of Rev. J. M. Spurr, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church.

Only a few intimate friends and relatives were present at the ceremony, which was performed by Mr. McPherson. Following the ceremony a delightful reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, 1432 Hill Street. A large number of friends were present at this function.

Mr. A. Neblett, the daughter of Mrs. J. A. Neblett, and has many friends in the city. Mr. Marshall is a popular young man and is employed by Messrs. George F. and brother.

Death of Infant.

The seven-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown, of 516 Deane Street, died yesterday afternoon at 12:40 o'clock at the residence of his parents.

The funeral will take place from the home this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The interment will be made in Maury Cemetery.

Mr. Woodward to Remain.

Rev. C. O. Woodward, pastor of Co. wardian Avenue Christian Church, who for some time has contemplated accepting the pastorate of a Christian Church near Lexington, has decided to remain here. It was the intention of Mr. Woodward to accept the pastorate of the church and take a course in the Christian University at Lexington at the same time.

His congregation learned of his intention and induced him to remain here. They were so strong in their protest against his leaving that he reconsidered and will remain. They paid him a high compliment in the manner in which they received the news of his probable departure.

Rev. C. O. Woodward continues to have large congregations at his meetings in Cowardin Avenue Christian Church, and there was another large gathering there last night. His subject last night was "Lepers in Manchester."

Persons and Briefs.

Mr. Horace Bradley returned yesterday from Buckroe Beach, where he has been spending some months.

Mrs. N. Nokes, of Washington, is the guest of her son, Mr. John Nokes, of Henderson Lodge, 1 O. O. F. will meet tonight, and sixteen candidates will be initiated.

Charles M. Melghan and C. S. Dodson have decided to occupy the old post-office building, near Ninth and Hull, and yesterday leased the property jointly from A. L. Adamson. They were forced to leave their quarters at Eleventh and Hull on account of the fact that the government had purchased the property as a site for the new post-office.

Rev. J. J. P. is preaching the Prose-lytery, and last night the prayer-meeting was conducted by the Westminster League.

Professor B. H. Barton, of the Welch Tower Bible and Tract Society, of Allegheny, Pa., delivered a biblical address before a large audience at the

Pure, Healthful, Refreshing Apollinaris

"The Queen of Table Waters"

residence of Mr. M. B. Staples. J. Frank Hatch, who has been wintering his carnival company here, moved the show to Tidewater yesterday. Mr. Hatch made many friends while here.

A concert will be given in Wetherford Baptist Church to-night. The program will include both Richmond and Manchester talent. Professor Frank Cosby will render several selections.

When the librarian was asked for a statement he said the following: "The future of the report of the board that is most pleasing to me is that it is the unanimous opinion that the charges made against my character were groundless. This, in itself, was the tribute that I most desired, and nothing could be more gratifying."

"The action of the majority of the board in refusing to accept my resignation commands me to continue to exert the best efforts in my power in the administration of the library. This course will be my active policy so long as I remain in the present official capacity."

"Personally, I bear the kindest of feelings toward every one in any way associated with the library investigation. I have always held this opinion, and have not been influenced by anything that has been said for or against me in the entire matter."

Will Not Resign.

"What about the rumor that, having been vindicated, you will probably resign the position of librarian at an early date?" he was asked.

"I have no present intention of resigning," was the deliberate reply. "I feel that I am under obligations to the board and the State to continue my work here, and only thought it is to be forward and build up the library. I am not considering any other matters than those which relate to that work."

"Do you contemplate making any changes in your staff, or submitting any suggestions along this line to the board?"

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On the other hand, some one should be elected whose views coincide with those of the minority of the board, as set out in their report. It is suggested that a change in the management of the library would almost certainly follow. This is assuming, of course, that Messrs. Gordon and Peaburne shall in the meantime find no reason to change their views, which were set out at some length in the minority report.

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It may be that Mr. Meredith will have no opposition. Every one recognizes, not only his great ability as a lawyer and scholar, but the deep personal interest he has displayed in the work of building up the library, and in any event these things will go a long way toward commending him for re-election. It is his duty to serve another term on the board.

Mr. Kennedy does not take any stock in the talk which is going the rounds of political circles that the Legislature, at its session next winter, may undertake to limit or cut off the library fund. Indeed, he is confident that he has been in his administration enough strong men in and out of the Legislature to secure the usual and ample recognition for his department. He does not think any one, for example, would undertake to lead a move to deprive the school traveling library of its funds.

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which he has reason to expect, he will push the work as rapidly as possible, and improve the entire department in every manner at his command.

FORAKER DOESN'T FEAR BIG STICK

(Continued from First Page.)

since September, 1901—almost six years. "During all that time I have supported all measures that have come before the Senate of the United States for consideration with which he was in any way identified, except only three."

"I differed from him as to joint station for New Mexico and Arizona. I was unable also to agree with the President in conferring the rate-making power upon the Interstate Commerce Commission, as provided in the Hepburn law, passed at the first session of the Fifty-ninth Congress, and I have taken a different view from him with regard to the discharge, without honor, of the members of Company B, C and D, of the Twenty-fifth United States Infantry, on account of the shooting affray at Brownsville, Texas."

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This was an incident, not a policy. But it was an incident of such character that I felt it my duty as a representative of the people of Ohio to do with respect to it what I have done."

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CATCH MURDERER AFTER TWO YEARS

Man Who Killed Man, Woman and Child Caught in California.

CONFESSES HIS GUILT

Crime Was One of the Most Horrible Ever Perpetrated in New York State.

NEW YORK, April 10.—News of the arrest in Los Angeles, Cal., last night of Charles Henry Rogers, alias Charles H. Carpenter, charged with the murder of Willis Olney, Frederick Olney and Alice Ingerick, at Middletown, N. Y., on October 6, 1905, was received here to-day. Rogers has confessed his identity.

Rogers also is charged with assaulting with intent to kill Mrs. Georgia Ingerick. Rogers had worked as a motorman on the Middletown Street Railway.

On the morning of March 6th, Frederick and Willis Olney, prosperous farmers, were shot to death in the woods back of their farmhouse, about four miles from Middletown. Mrs. Georgia Ingerick, their housekeeper, was found in the barn, unconscious from a fractured skull, and the body of her daughter Alice, aged nine years, was found in the cellar of the Olney home. Her skull had been fractured.

Mrs. Ingerick's memory was so affected by the blow she received that she was unable for a long time to give any account of the attack upon her.

Private detective agents and the local authorities secured sufficient evidence to indict Rogers, but no trace of him was discovered until January last, when he was located at Madera, Cal., but before a detective could get to that place he had departed.

INDICT TWO NEGROES.

Each Is Charged With Burning.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BUCKINGHAM, VA., April 10.—Circuit Judge J. H. Bland, in session here, has found indictments against Charles Miles, charged with the burning of M. C. Egan's barn, and Alvin Smith's barn or stable. A negro man worked up these cases, and he says he is employed by the Southern Detective Agency of Richmond.

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to Baltimore, to-day located the Marvill and Magnolia.

The Norfolk agents have located the Perryville and Delmar, near Cape Charles City, Va., to-day.

One man, whose name is not given, was washed overboard from the Perryville, and drowned. The Cumiskey sank with Captain Bgia and his son. The Cumiskey sails from Philadelphia.

HOMES FOR DELEGATES.

Committee for Southern Baptist Convention Listing Quarters.

The committee on hotels and boarding-houses, now preparing for the entertainment of the Southern Baptist Convention, which meets in Richmond May 15th to 20th inclusive, is desirous of obtaining accommodations for delegates and visitors. There are expected to be about 1,000 delegates, and all the accommodations for the convention are located in the vicinity of the Auditorium. The committee asks that all who can take care of delegates will communicate with him at once. He is at the Byrd Street Station. He is sending out the following circular letter:

"The Southern Baptist Convention meets in Richmond from May 15th to 20th inclusive. There are between 7,000 and 10,000 delegates expected, and I write to ask that you advise me as soon as you can of the accommodations you can offer. Some of them will probably arrive on the 15th of May and remain for a few days in the city. Please answer in enclosed envelope, bottom of this letter, stating how many you can entertain and at what price. It is requested that you make a form to be filled in by the recipient, stating rates for lodging, meals or for the day."

NEW INSTRUMENT FOR ST. PAUL'S

Magnificent Pipe Organ to Be Installed During Coming Summer.

Arrangements are being made by the vestry of St. Paul's Episcopal Church for the installation of a magnificent pipe organ during the coming summer, the contract for it having been made by Messrs. Healey and Healey, of Chicago. The organ will be in two compartments, and will be one of the finest in the South, as well as one of the first of this type in any church south of New York. The work of installing the instrument, which will occupy the present organ above, will be done during July and August.

The main organ will contain thirty-four stops, while the echo organ, containing eight stops, will be played by the old organ gallery, the two being played from the same keyboard, and being connected by pneumatic tubes. The entire instrument will have a total of forty-two stops. The chime stops will give very effective bell effects in harmony with the other parts of the organ, and the new stops will be heard for the first time in Richmond.

The organ committee consists of Rev. J. H. Bland, rector, and Messrs. J. K. H. Bland, Frederick Scott, and W. C. Bentley.

Three Ambulance Calls.

While at work at the Locomotive works yesterday morning, John J. Smith, a negro, was injured in some machinery and had them badly mangled. He was treated by Dr. Jones, of the ambulance corps, and taken to his home.

Water Martin, a negro, was taken to the Virginia Hospital for treatment. He got his arm badly mangled and bruised while at work near Twenty-first Street.

Joe Smith, a negro, lost a heavy iron bar against his knee at the Locomotive works in the afternoon. He was taken to the Virginia Hospital, and taken to the Virginia Hospital.

Southall a Virginian.

J. A. Southall, the young white man under arrest for alleged robbery in Prince George county, Va., and it is also alleged that he has been in trouble here.

Officer Christenbury, immediately after the arrest in Augusta, Ga., of Southall, gave out this statement:

"I have recovered eighteen revolvers, but unable to locate overcoat. Man's right name is Walter Martin, a negro, was taken to the Southern Railway. His wife lives at Amelia county, Va., and it is also alleged that he has been in trouble here."

Miss Schwab Married.

PITTSBURGH, PA., April 10.—Miss Gertrude Schwab, sister of Charles M. Schwab, was married to David Barry of Johnston, this morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Bland, of the Catholic Church at Loretto, the home of the Schwabs. Rev. Father John Barry, brother of the bridegroom, officiated.

It was reported that Charles M. Schwab's present to his sister was \$2,000.00. The Barrys after their honeymoon, will live in Johnston.

PAWNBROKER A SUICIDE.

TRIED TO DEFAUD INSURANCE COMPANY AND WAS CAUGHT.

BOSTON, April 10.—In dread, it is believed, of the outcome of a charge of defrauding an insurance company, Morris Moscholson, a pawnbroker, committed suicide to-day by shooting. Recently Moscholson reported to the police that his home had been broken into and robbed of the jewelry valued at \$3,000. After an investigation, the police arrested the man, charging that he himself had tampered with the house and committed suicide by shooting.

Today he locked himself in his store at the south end and took his life.

ALLEGED GAMBLING JOINT

Plaint of Alexandria Mayor to Governor of Maryland.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., April 10.—J. Fred P. P. of Alexandria, Va., has written a letter to Governor Warfield, calling the Governor's attention to a gambling place at Jones Point, on the Potomac River, in Prince George county, and almost within the city limits of Alexandria.

On a houseboat on the Rits a regular gambling business is being conducted. The place is frequented by a large number of drunkards and disorderly conduct, especially on Sundays.

The Governor has referred the matter to the sheriff of Prince George county.

Mr. Matthews Convalescing

The Rev. Carl S. Matthews, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Rapidan, Va., who has been under treatment at St. Luke's Hospital for the past week, is rapidly recovering from an operation for appendicitis, which was entirely successful.



Silk Striped Challie, 35c yd

New Novelty Spring Suitings, both French and German manufacture, full 44 inches wide, embracing the newest weaves and colorings; per yard, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

French Voile, 42 inches wide, with a nice crisp finish, in all of the new shades, including the new browns and tans; per yard, \$1.00.

Silk Voile, 44 inches wide, a rich, dressy material, in tan and brown; per yard, \$1.50.

38-Inch All-Wool Baliste, the ideal fabric for the new spring gown; twelve exquisite shades, including the new browns and tans, cream and black; per yard, 50c.

Two specials in cream goods: 38-Inch All-Wool Storm Serge, 38-Inch Extra Heavy Lustrous Sicilian; 69c value; per yard, 58c.

SILK-STRIPED CHALLIE, 35c yd. Other stores are asking 48c a yard for this same material. It is a beautiful soft fabric, and comes in white grounds, with large, medium and small coin dots and rings; all colors; per yard, 35c.

"IMITATIONS" TO BE BRANDED

None But the Pure Whiskey to Bear the Honored Name.

MARK BLENDS AND COMPOUNDS

President and Attorney-General Give Learned Opinions on "Old Red-Eye."

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The long-expected opinion of Attorney-General Bonaparte concerning the proper labeling of whiskey under the pure-food law, approved June 30, 1906, was made public at the White House to-day. Its purport is briefly told in the following letter addressed by the President to-day to the Secretary of Agriculture:

"My Dear Mr. Secretary.—In accordance with your suggestion, I have submitted the matter concerning the proper labeling of whiskey under the pure-food law to the Department of Justice. I enclose the Attorney-General's opinion. I agree with this opinion, and direct that action be taken in accordance with it. Straight whiskey will be labeled as such. A mixture of two or more straight whiskeys will be labeled 'blended whiskeys'."

"A mixture of straight whiskey and ethyl alcohol, provided that there is a sufficient amount of straight whiskey to make it genuinely a 'mixture,' will be labeled as compound, or compounded, pure grain distillate."

"Imitation whiskey will be labeled as such."

"Sincerely yours,"

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."